

HIGHDOWN

1964

Dear mother
I am sending you
a few lines to let you
know how I am getting along.
I have been working hard
and have been able to make
a good living at my
new place for several days.

Shelley Light '65

Peg

To a great, sincere
girl - and the best
at measuring out precise
grams of sulfur.
Chem. just wasn't
worth it.

Hope we make it next year, without Mrs. H. Great year, lots of luck.

Ronda

Rey -
To a good year and all that.
I'm around now, corner where
the wind blows.
I finally got to know.
I finally got to know + it's
all in finally, seems + it's
all in finally, seems + it's

Dear Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hall,
We are very sorry to hear
that Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hall,
are ill.

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Dad This is really very kind of you to
let me sign your yearbooks — even
after the way you treated me in
Chemistry and English. Of course you
were always a big-hearted soul.
Thank you & your mother again
for the flowers for Mrs. Shuteon.

Love & Roses

~~John~~

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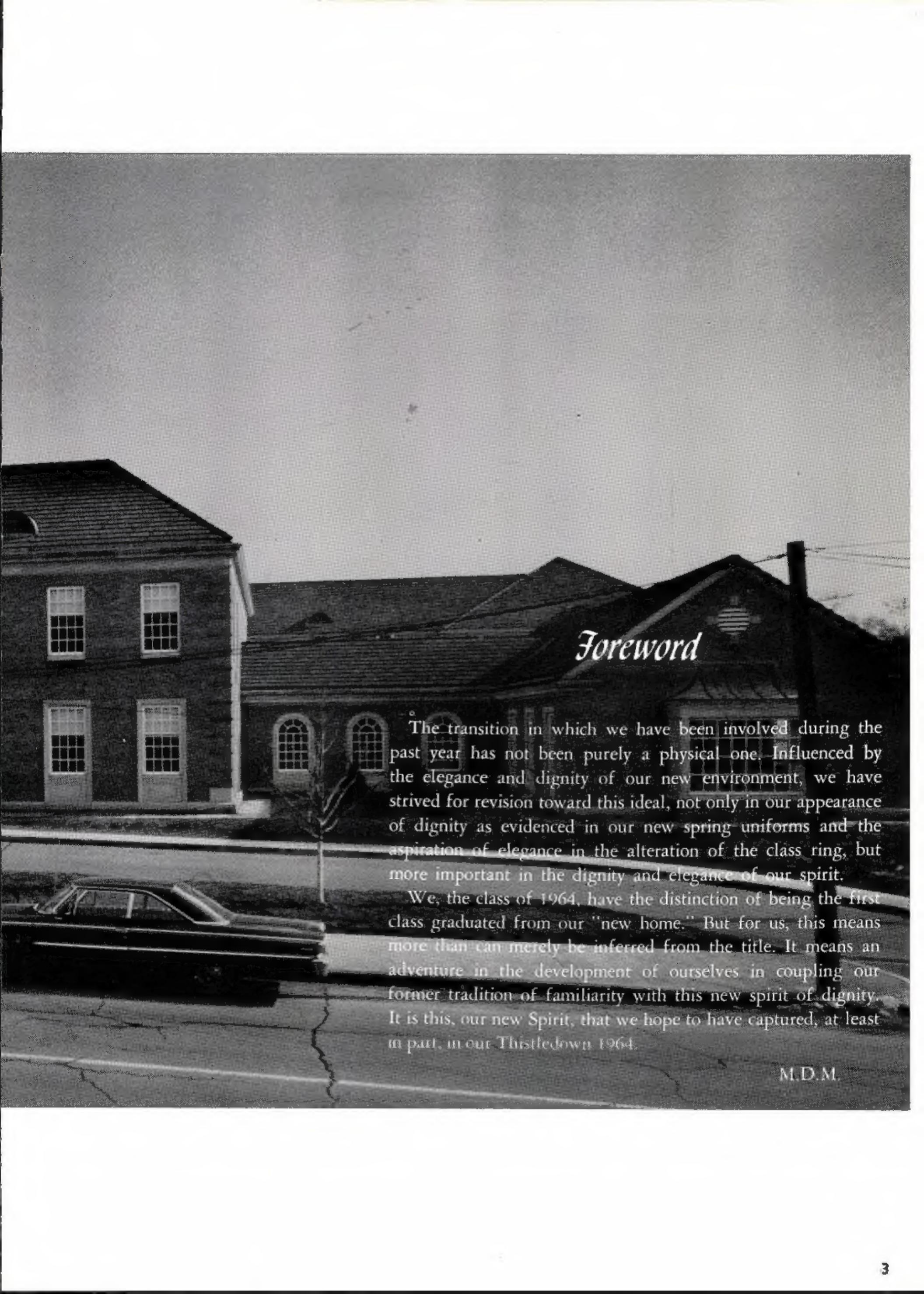
WINCHESTER - THURSTON

CLASS OF 1964 PRESENTS



THISTLEDOWN





Foreword

The transition in which we have been involved during the past year has not been purely a physical one. Influenced by the elegance and dignity of our new environment, we have strived for revision toward this ideal, not only in our appearance of dignity as evidenced in our new spring uniforms and the aspiration of elegance in the alteration of the class ring, but more important in the dignity and elegance of our spirit.

We, the class of 1964, have the distinction of being the first class graduated from our "new home." But for us, this means more than can merely be inferred from the title. It means an adventure in the development of ourselves in coupling our former tradition of familiarity with this new spirit of dignity. It is this, our new Spirit, that we hope to have captured, at least in part, in our Thistledown 1964.

M.D.M.



Dedication

During our past years at Winchester Thurston we have not always been aware of the influences of individuals upon the development of our integrity and desire for knowledge. But there are two people whose guidance we shall always remember.

We met Mrs. Houston in Lower School. Even with her many obligations and responsibilities, she never failed to be a friend to the students. The click of her heels as she came from her office to study hall, the openness with which she received any student's problems and the patience with which she taught the "grown up" seventh graders, we shall never forget. But even more there will remain the memory of every day's end: looking up into her face as she shook our hands and wished us a good-bye.

When we entered Upper School, we at once felt the direction of Mrs. Hutson. Her frank wit and keen perception led us to a deeper understanding of ourselves. The enthusiasm with which she taught her classes developed within us a love of knowing. Despite the number of seniors, she has shown a sincere interest in each girl's future and has offered valuable advice to guide us. It is with pride that we rise to her every morning.

With fond respect and admiration we dedicate the 1964 This-tledown to Rachel McCormick Houston and Hazel Cole Hutson.

L.A.D.
A.K.W.

President



DR. EARL M. McWILLIAMS



DR. HAZEL COLE HUTSON

*Headmistress
of the Lower School*



MRS. RACHEL McCORMICK HOUSTON

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Mrs. Lucky I like all my students.
Mrs. Widgery Any other suggestions?

Mrs. Hutson Who here is *not* going to college?

Mrs. Beebe But I want no part of it

Mrs. Taylor You'd better be quiet, ladies. I'm in a bad mood



History

Mrs. Calvert I'll write it on the board

Miss Sheppard One pig is enough

Mrs. Schwoerer Are you sure you studied your lesson?

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Above, left to right:

Mrs. Thomas: And where are You supposed to be this period?

Mrs. Emerick: No—I didn't teach you that method.

Mrs. Arnott: Wait. I'll get my colored chalk.

Mrs. Todd: Was your desk there yesterday?

Mrs. Hermann: It's second semester now, where are your compasses.

Below: left to right:

Mrs. Thomas

Miss Burkhouse: THIS is chemistry.

Mrs. Seif: What do you mean you don't understand photosynthesis? We just studied it a month ago.

Mrs. Porter: Use your heads, girls.

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Left to right

Mrs. Mix: Are there any questions? The answer's on page . . .

Miss Shane: Did I ever tell you the story about . . .?

Mrs. Amerman: Gee, I like that word Pinguis. It sounds rich

Languages

Sitting, L. to r.: Mrs. Hofmann, Mme. Yagodkin. Standing, L. to r.: Miss Dressler Mrs. Gueunter, Mrs. Sibirskey

Mrs. Hofmann: Did you girls in the front row hear her?

Mme. Yagodkin: Vous ne riez pas, but it is so funny!

Miss Dressler: Who would like to go to Europe with me?

Mrs. Guentner: But, girls, I've never played volleyball before!

Mrs. Sibirskey: Muy bien

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Mrs. Hutchings—We really don't LIKE to fine you but .

Miss Brugh—We'll let it go this time

Physical Education

Miss Barthelemy—High and EEEEEEEasy.

Miss Linnon—You have a dirty shirt . . . ten times around the gym.





School staff

Above: Miss Smith, Miss Reed, Miss Thomas, Mrs. Newmeyer, Mrs. Moore

Side: Mrs. McCullough, Mr. Granata





We wish to voice the sentiment of the student body by gratefully expressing our thanks to the Board of Trustees, Dr. McWilliams, and the Alumnae Association. The culmination of their dedicated ideals, realized in our new building, has provided us with the opportunity for progress in education.

Pictured: Mr. William P. Getty, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Dr. Earl McWilliams, President of the School, and Mrs. Raymond F. Brittain, President of the Alumnae Association

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Gossip in the grass



S'ardine



It's what's up front that counts



The joy of cooking



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Dianne Childress Diebold

Two-term President . . . vivacious . . . an accomplished actress . . . master of "sundry" dialects . . .
Double D and Dennis . . . "NO TALKING—please."





Mary Elizabeth Acklin

A semi platinum . . . bursting laughter . . . a strong affinity for the Southern Accent type . . . recollections of a room in Rome . . . "fruging" at the wheel . . . "Get that empire waistline and short pants."



Jean Talmadge Barton

Spontaneously joyful person . . . rich in the knowledge of friendship . . . conscious always of the truth . . . a giggle known to break the silence of any class . . . sunbathing with T. O. C. at "The Lake" . . . "Welllll"

Barbara Brandon

Startling blue eyes . . . deep resounding laughter . . . a chronological brain . . . court jester . . .
the supplementary encyclopedia for history . . . "Henry VII, Henry VIII, Edward VI, Elizabeth I,
and Shakespeare"





Cynthia Cox

A patent cheerfulness . . . sincerity of purpose . . . squealing with enthusiasm on any subject . . . a phone call from France . . . a-mazed in Pittsburgh . . . "Are you sure?"

Lola Virginia Crawford

Pure soprano . . . a strong follower of her beliefs . . . constant and intellectual reading . . . Baccalonokof . . . patent leather belts . . . Navy news drifting throughout the class . . . "Princeton . . ."



Jennifer Davies

Jeni . . . a tall, graceful form . . . El Greco hands . . . an intricate, spontaneous style of art . . . a tremendously kind person . . . her chicken with teased hair . . . "Don't call him Seabreeze!"





Linda Alison Deaktor

Fervent Greek features . . . a rebelling soul . . . demanding greatness of her friends and offering greatness . . . one of the longest summer book lists in history . . . constantly worried about her "diet" . . . third period shakes from gum addiction . . . "Boy, I'm in a lousy mood today."

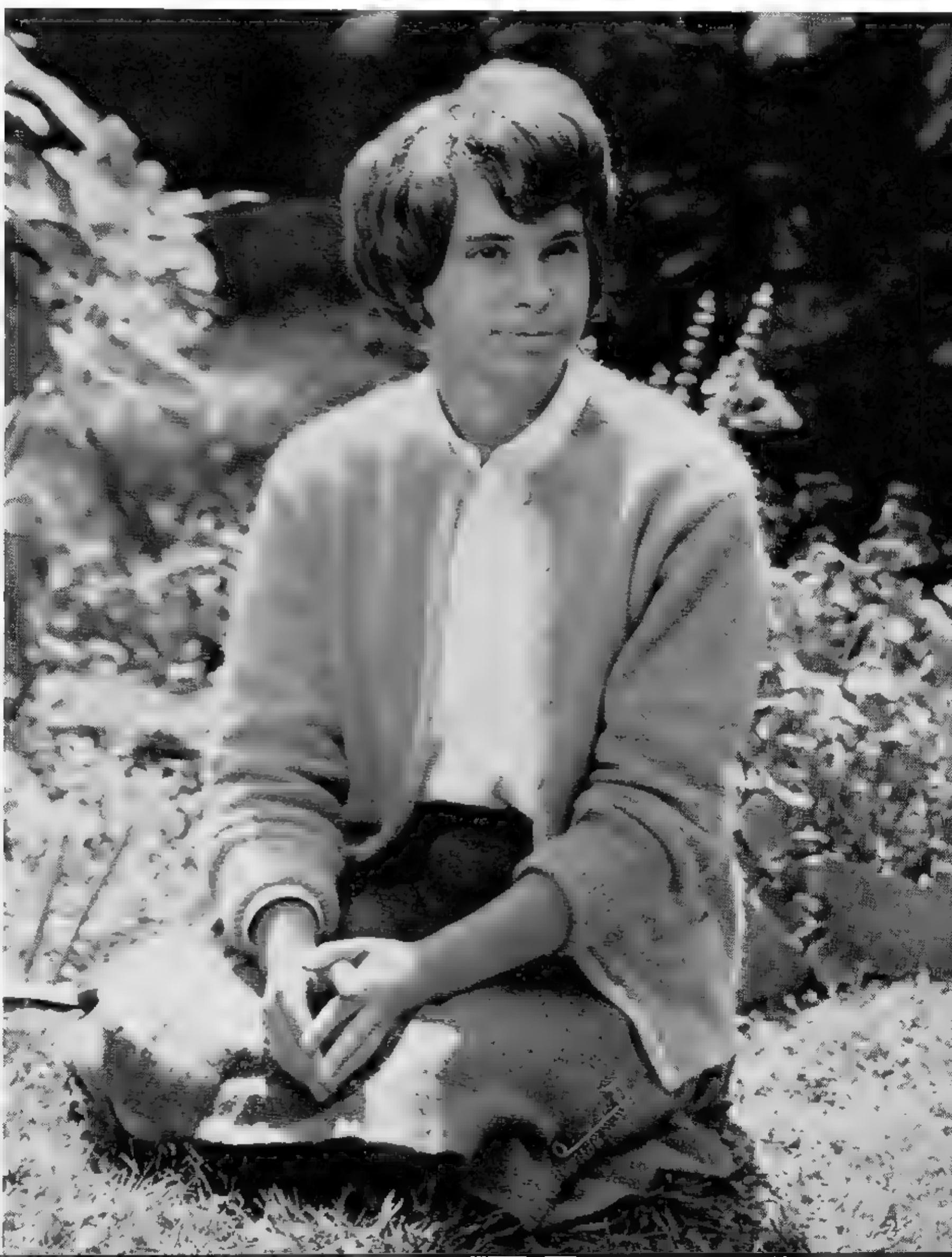


Lenore Evelyn Dixon

A commanding presence . . . reliable . . . chapel pianist . . . already carrying her medical bag . . . one grade behind her mother in school . . . "slumber" (?) parties . . . "The pink pill is for my knee and the red and blue one for . . ."

Susan Bette Finkel

A smile revealing an inner warmth . . . a ready but unassuming friend . . . calm tempered
an organized thinker . . . both a leader and a follower . . . one a.m. parleys . . . "Oh, whatchama-
callit"





Francine Jo Gitnick

A roseate glow... mother complex about her friends... a resonant alto and inevitable Glee Club President... our "Thursday girl?"... "Ah, for goodness sake."

Sylvia Georgine Gold

Jeannie . . . a petite figure . . . Redwing . . . races with Rudy, and a stolen transmission . . . incriminating evidence taped in class . . . "What did you get on that test?"





Joyce Griffith

Topaz eyes . . . a long time member of the senior class . . . our librarian . . . one survivor of the trip abroad . . . an avid tree climber . . . a willing hand . . . dedicated to W.T. . . . "Ah, don't call me Ellie."

Carole Ann Haskell

A ready smile . . . takes pride in her achievements . . . meticulously careful . . . first hockey goal against Ellis . . . inspiration for the C.A.H. game . . . "I'm on a diet—get me a roll."





Madeleine Gail Hays

Short wavy hair and a perfectly kept appearance . . . considerate and poised . . . a quiet comprehension . . . an enviable wardrobe . . . exempt from gym . . . "Who wants my lunch?"

Nancy Herron

Always optimistic and humorous . . . guitarist of the singing group . . . part of the Seven Springs clan . . . Jean Nate . . . resembles her poodle . . . "Oops, the wrong chord."





Nancy Louise Hickox

President of the Student Body and one of the "reliable corners" . . . perfectly kept natural blonde hair . . . a truly concerned student with an unsurpassed sense of humor . . . her blue sweater tied by the sleeves . . . "Geeze, you guys"

Margot Cowdrey Hill

Bubbles . . . a level character with perfect composure . . . enjoys diplomatic immunity . . . a distinctive dancer . . . a born mimic . . . "Hi ya, Babe!"



Jeanne Hardie Horner

Wholesome prettiness . . . a quick temper always justifiable . . . first sport's letter . . . wild curses against profanity . . . memories of Iron City . . . "Drive me up to get the car."





Lisa Bard Hughes

Cherry . . . bubbling exuberance and striking femininity . . . intense in everything she does . . . swiftly changing moods . . . sexiest voice in the singing group . . . " . . . s'pose? . . . "



Sara Leslie James

The class redhead . . . a serious student with clearly defined opinions . . . a reserved, friendly person and a hard worker . . . a coke fiend . . . patient decipherer of misspelled captions . . . "Well, this is the thing."

Irene Muriel Jones

Fresh and animated attractiveness . . . seeking the why . . . one of our disciplinarians and informal tutors . . . the only organized gym leader . . . hysterics in French class . . . "Well, I just mowed the lawn and washed."



Sally Marvel Kuntz

A pixie walk... sweet and shy... soft spoken... calm in the face of any problem... a willingness to comply... capezios and glass slippers... "Thank you!"





Mari Diana Lichy

Diane . . . a "strawberry blonde" . . . small fine features . . . wild Kiski weekends and school to school telephone calls . . . enjoys her exercises fourth period? . . . "Isn't that neat!"

Karen Louise McCormick

Perfectly kept mannequin appearance . . . tall and graceful in stature . . . Monday pigtails . . . tri-weekly sunlamp treatments . . . real blushes about Chautauqua summers . . . "Can I have a ride home?"





Georgia Ellen McKee

An argumentative spirit touched with sarcasm . . . a talented guitarist . . . recurring Spanish "maladies" . . . singular translations of Vergil . . . an aversion to fairy tales . . . "Join my fan club."



Carole Sue Martin

A whiz on skis . . . cutest nose in the class . . . indigenous warmth . . . completely infectious laughter
... "always" in uniform . . . "Boy, was that funny!"



Marga Dale Matheny

Glowing complexion . . . tireless effort in school projects . . . the organized element of the staff . . .
a correspondent in France . . . fanciest soutien-gorges in the class . . . "Do you want your ice?"



Jane Michaels

Quietly successful in all she does . . . blonde curls that "beg to be crushed" . . . excelling in modern dance technique and form . . . S.S.A. cheerleader . . . personalized barrettes . . . "Hold my hand. It's freezing!"

Susanne Elizabeth Monteith

Executive in appearance and manner . . . abounding in domestic talents . . . conservative opinions . . . surprising spurts of humor . . . one of the many speed-a-way fatalities . . . "If you can't say something nice . . ."





Susan King Montgomery

That crazy kid . . . shiny "red" hair beneath her grandma cap . . . a math brain and a born instigator of confusion . . . hysterically funny . . . deep and warm as a friend . . . "Hey, you guys, what are we going to tell Miss Bussey?"

Virginia Lee Perkins

Delicate and feminine...supposed Pitt Freshman...letters from every state in the Union...a shiny red cutlass...a record collection of banned music..."Tough!"



Sara Lee Provost

Muffet . . . small and neatly proportioned . . . our illegal, on the spot cameraman . . . a serious student . . . her gold(?) turtle . . . a private still in her locker . . . "Darlink, I *always* use green ink."





Christine Wetherill Raisig

Rich brown hair and happy-sad eyes . . . natural but striking beauty . . . our representative to Hollywood . . . a reticent nature coupled with impulsive warmth . . . habitual bright lights in Schenley Oval . . . "Gee Whiz!"

Judy Beth Ruben

A perfect pageboy . . . shy in crowds . . . ice cream lunches . . . retreats to Columbus . . . the other end of Sue's telephone . . . "Does anyone want to go to Station Street?"





Gayle Patterson Shaw

Smooth, dark hair and enviable hairstyles . . . a Jamaica tan . . . her Colgate smile . . . a member of the anti-lunch league . . . the pick of the boys at every concert . . . "Ah, gee . . . !!"

Wendy Elizabeth Silin

A sylph-like figure, striking in black . . . a model's gait . . . a sudden burst of dry wit . . . feigning naïveté . . . a "femme fatale" in the Halloween play . . . "What are you going to give me for Christmas."





Andrea Smith

An impish appearance accompanied by an impromptu wit...a serious artist...poor broken Geraldine...a regular Defarge with her needles...W.T.'s link with the Sewickley grapevine... "Do Dee Do"



Candace Anne Smith

Candy . . . a red wig . . . gang leader of the drive-in group . . . a fantastic hack . . . "witch, witch"
. . . long drives through the cemetery . . . "I'm going down town."

Lynda Ann Stern

Exotic hairstyles . . . European sophistication . . . first to see all the good movies in town . . . an organizer of the singing group . . . English Leather . . . new uses for an iron . . . "Write me a note"





Suzanne McCandless Stone

A casual air . . . expressing a maternal involvement toward her relatives . . . summers in Vermont and ten in a Volks . . . a regular peeping Tom . . . attends to the attendance . . . "Golly gee!"

Becky-Lee Sweet

Long tapering fingers with perfect nails . . . a responsive smile . . . an insight into the quality of her friends . . . cordiality with a Southern flavor . . . "dans la lune" . . . "Oh, I probably flunked that test!"



Alice Thompson

A mystic expression . . . long, sandy hair . . . perpetually incisive wit . . . the class skeptic . . . strong "feelings" about French class . . . "I don't see WHY we have to take gym."





Emily Patricia Toerge

also Patty . . . misty gray green eyes . . . gives kindness freely . . . typified by her briefcase . . . surprising surprise parties—always comes through with a cake . . . "Three lashes with a wet noodle for you."



Linda Jane Werlinich

Strongly expressive dark brown eyes . . . abounding friendliness . . . a penetrating thinker . . . oft-times giggly . . . recuperations from a week of pep pills . . . "What's this again?"

Julie Willey

Sweeping brown hair and a pug nose...an objective thinker...perceptive to the feelings of others...our mad photographer... (a million ponies)...how many months without breaking her glasses?... "Come on, kid, Smile!"





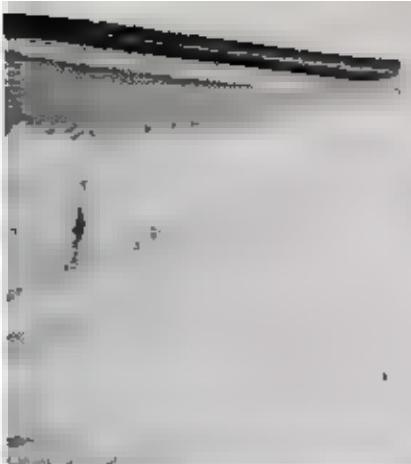
Anne Kristin Witting

Quiet eyes reflecting happiness . . . a mind expressing a poetic understanding of life . . . steadfast convictions . . . chaotic slumber parties in the "apartment" . . . pre-school rallies in her car . . .
"If I were tickled by the rub of love."

Barbara Dwyer Miller

Our "exchange student"—a welcome addition . . . an artist in pen and ink . . . a readiness to know people . . . a purse with a hangover . . . "He's so Preppy!"

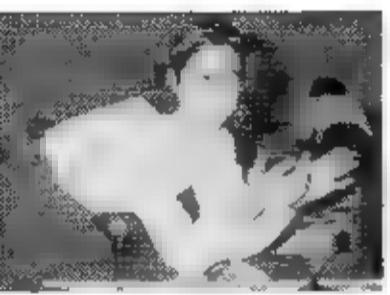




Security is a thumb and a warm blanket



And that 'ole elephant



Pepsi's the
Sociable drink



Hey, you guys . . .

Snacks are for people who eat after every meal



The reflective type



Is this the way Tarzan started?



"If I had the wings of an angel"



What we like about W.T. week



Just gassing up.

C-O-M-P-O-Z



the uncurly permanent!



And now Miss Loretta Young?





Study?
What
for?



Uncle Sam wants
YOU!



Undercover agents for G.O P



Do you feel dragged out
—take Dones pills.



It happened on the way to the lunch line



If you don't like it here,
you can just go some-
where else



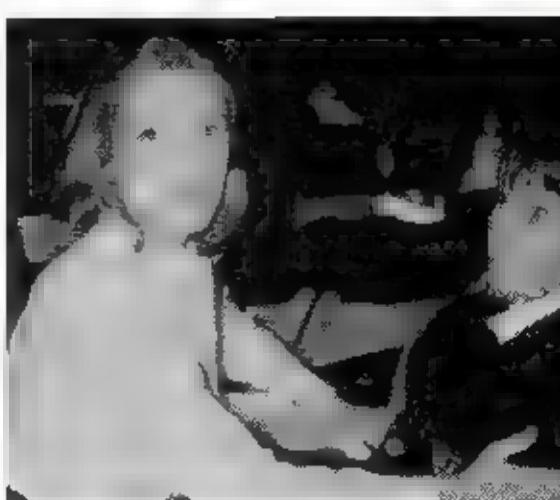
Calling Columbus



But I'm a
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I'm going with Miss Dres-
sler's bicycle tour to Africa.



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Left to right: R. Brourman, E. Brittain, B. Clarkson, T. Eger, L. Gernick, J. Davis, T. Amerman, C. Cmarada, A. Barber, M. Goldberg, L. Geer, B. Bunton, V. Berg, S. Couper



Left to right: R. Lustman, J. Lehman, C. Miller, E. Levinson, S. Long. Second row: R. Johnson, C. Pearson, L. Miller, L. Leslie Third row: P. Pool, W. Obernauer, M. Holt, M. Matheny H. M. Parkin, S. MacMichael, M. Powell.

CLASS OFFICERS:

Dana Trice President
Daryl Massey Vice President
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Carolyn Slease Secretary

Dear Peg,
you would not be
able to believe how JUN
glad I am that the class
came to Winchester,
and you've really Class
helped me to feel
as though I've been here
always - we had a great
time on our "scenic route"
to Kiski and especially
~~that~~ lovely "John" -
I can see you this summer and
that no matter what, we know
next will be great - love, Sally



Left to right, Front row: D. Wolf, A. Wadsworth; F. Weber, M. Youngquist. *Standing:* C. Swatek, P. Stubbs, M. Riehl, N. Swinston, S. Turich, M. Rose, M. Sturm, P. Wick, K. Reed, J. Robertson, A. Wilson, R. A. Smith



Left to right: Front row: K. Klatman, J. Kloss, M. S. Ketterer, S. Java, E. Keller, M. Klee, S. Hight, J. Johnson, M. Hamilton. *Back row:* B. Karp, H. Hornd, S. Kirschbaum, M. Isaacs, C. Kohlhaas, N. Herron, M. Heard, S. Kister, J. Hibbard, C. Heape, K. Kibbee

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Left to right, Seated: N. Lee, M. Mardis, M. McSorley, M. Mercer, M. L. Neely, A. Messer *Standing:* D. Motheral, B. McCrady, K. Liedtke, M. Kardon, M. Keck, S. McCune, L. Jacobs, M. Nims. *Back row:* J. Klingenstein, J. Olah, N. Matheny, S. Mars, S. McGowan
Absent: D. Woods, S. Wilson, S. Brourman



Left to right, Seated: A. Eaton, J. Cooper, G. Gordy, V. Erenstein, S. Cohen *Standing* E. Danforth, J. Allon, C. Crawford, K. Hepburn, M. Hunter, C. Haberstick, L. Frank, M. Gezon, S. Cobett



Left to right:
J. Updegraff
D. Spear
A. Shear
J. Stern
N. Taylor
P. Swinston
S. Phillips
L. Yates
P. Shaw
J. Rollit
A. Parkin



Seated above, left to right: R Steinmeyer, G. Garland, J. Sutton, C. Mack, M. Duggar, S. Irwin, S. Charles, M. Hess, J. Clench, J. Reed, C. Gookin, S. Keller, A. Simmons, K. Kerins, M. McDowell, S. Ross, C. Cohen. *Standing,* L. Heath, M. Monsour, D. Driscoll, B. Kirshbaum, P. Kinney, L. Rankin, K. Tynberg, J. Sanes, J. Scully, S. Montgomery, K. Dapprich, A. Mercer, E. Schatz, M. Musico, P. Kleinman



Left to right. S. Bergad, L. Merry, W. Newstetter, T. Frank

*Ninth
Grade*



Eighth Grade



Left-right, Kneeling: L. McDowell, F. Hoffman, P. Constantin, D. Rubbo. *Standing:* J. McCorkle, A. Dane, N. Finkel, E. Harris, P. Parke, M. Nettrour, P. McCabe, E. Baade, H. Redenbaugh, N. Watson, S. Viviano, L. Evans



CLASS OFFICERS: D. Speyer, P. Watson (Pres.), R. Felman, S. Wagner

Left-right, Seated: W. Crawford, J. McCloskey, L. Lewis, E. Lewis, L. Taucher, J. Freeborn. *Standing:* C. Hockensmith, T. Blades, C. Armstrong, J. Marks, L. Schroeder, J. Wolk, L. McKee, K. Rich.



Left to right Seated D Speyer, R Felman, W Newstetter
C Staisey, M Bere N Witting, B Sweet, J Michaels
D Debold N Hickox, N L Herron, D Trice, N Clever,
C Slease *Standing* D Massey, S Bergad, P Watson, S
Wagner K Frank, I Merry



Student Council

The Student Council this year has laid the foundation for a revised attitude toward student discipline. In co-operation with the faculty, they have provided the incentive for proper conduct by condensing the rules to further the individual's judgment and by establishing a reward in the form of a Merit Holiday.

Nancy Hickox, President
Nancy Herron, Vice President



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L. Miller
J. Kloss
S. Hight
C. Armstrong
M. Hunter

Left to right N. Swinston, N. Herron, E. Toerge, P. Stubbs, D. Massey. *Second row:*
C. Slease, J. Horner, F. Gitnick. *Third row:* B. Brandon, M. Hamilton, K. Reed, V. Crawford, B. Sweet.

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Left to right: N. Herron, T. Stubbs, M. Sturm, C. Heape, J. Johnson, N. Clever, D. Trice, B. Karp

It is a tradition that the Junior Class give a winter formal in honor of the Seniors. This year, the Prom Committee, with Peggy Lou Stubbs as chairman, has arranged a dinner dance at the Longue Vue Club on December twenty-first.

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Left to right, Seated: M. Hamilton, N. Herron, P. Stubbs, J. Lehman, N. Clever, C. Pearson, C. Swatek Standing: M. Matheny, D. Trice, C. Slease, B. Karp, C. Heape.

Among their many "projects," the Juniors have designed a new class ring. With their chairman, Cathy Swatek, they give their approval to the new oval shape and insignia.

Senior Art Club



Left to right, Front-back: S. Finkel, Pres., J. McChael, J. Ruben, A. Wadsworth, J. Willey, C. Martin, J. Barton, S. James, B. Brandon, S. Hight, A. Thompson, B. Sweet, S. Long, M. Holt.



MRS BODNAR



Junior Art Club

Left to right, Front row: J. Sutton, Pres., M. Monsour, E. Harris, N. Finkel, J. Scully, K. Dapprich, M. Keck, M. Gezon. Second row: K. Rich, R. Felman, A. Shear, L. Heath, M. Mardis, S. Viviano.



*Senior
Drama
Club*

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*Left to right: W. Crawford, N. Walton, D. Speyer, F. Hoffman, P. Watson.
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Left-right, front-back. Hill, —, McCormick, Stern, Kloss, Ketterer, Crawford, McKee, Gitnick (Pres.), Lichy, Provost, Wadsworth, Wolf, Pearson, Stubbs, Kuntz, Levinson, Leslie, Horner, Trice, Amerman, Smith, Wick, Raisig, Robertson, Slease, Cox, Toerge, Hickox, Perkins, Acklin, Riehl, Miller, Swatek, Johnson, Youngquist, Berg, Matheny, Monteith, Hays, Dixon, Goldberg, Clever, Heape, Hamilton, Werlunich, Griffith, A. Smith, C. Smith, Martin, Klee, Keller, Heard, Halteman, Powell, Shaw, Barber, Cmarada, Geer, Parkin, MacMichael, Reed, Rose

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Mrs. Kress, Standing Officers, Parkin, Phillips, Crawford. Seated, l-r, front-back: Tynberg, Taylor, Woods, Lee, Kardon, Uptegraff, Rollit, Haber, Danforth, Hess, Steinmeyer, A. Mercer, Frank, Keris, M. Mercer, Monsour, Driscoll, Erenstein, Nims, Shaw, Simmons, Montgomery, Berg, Cooper, Gookin, Neely, McSorley, Yates, McCrady, Spear

Varsity Hockey



Left to right, Seated: C. Haskell, P. Pool, J. Robertson, L. Miller, D. Wolf, G. Perkins, S. Finkel, M. Acklin, T. Amerman, J. Lehman. Standing: G. McKee, L. Deakor, J. Hibbard, D. Massey, S. Kister, S. MacMichael, J. Horner, A. Witting (Captain), C. Switek, M. Riehl, K. Reed, P. Stubbs, D. Trice, F. Toerge, T. Johnson (Manager)

Junior Varsity Hockey



Left to right: W. Newstetter, S. Montgomery, A. Parkin, M. Keck, L. Atkins, Rankin, E. Schatz, C. Crawford, V. Erenstein, A. Messer, M. Mercer, G. Gordi, A. Eaton (Captain), K. Daprich (Manager), A. Mercer, G. Reed, A. Witting, K. Hepburn, A. Shear, M. McSorley, C. Staisey, L. Yates, B. McCrady, D. Spear

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Varsity



Above, left to right: Linda Deaktor (Captain), Miss Bartholemey (Coach), A. Witting, S. Kister, J. Horner, M. H. Hamilton, V. Crawford, A. Barber, K. Reed, N. Clever, C. Swatek, H. M. Parkin (Manager), J. Lehman, P. Stubbs, M. Riehl

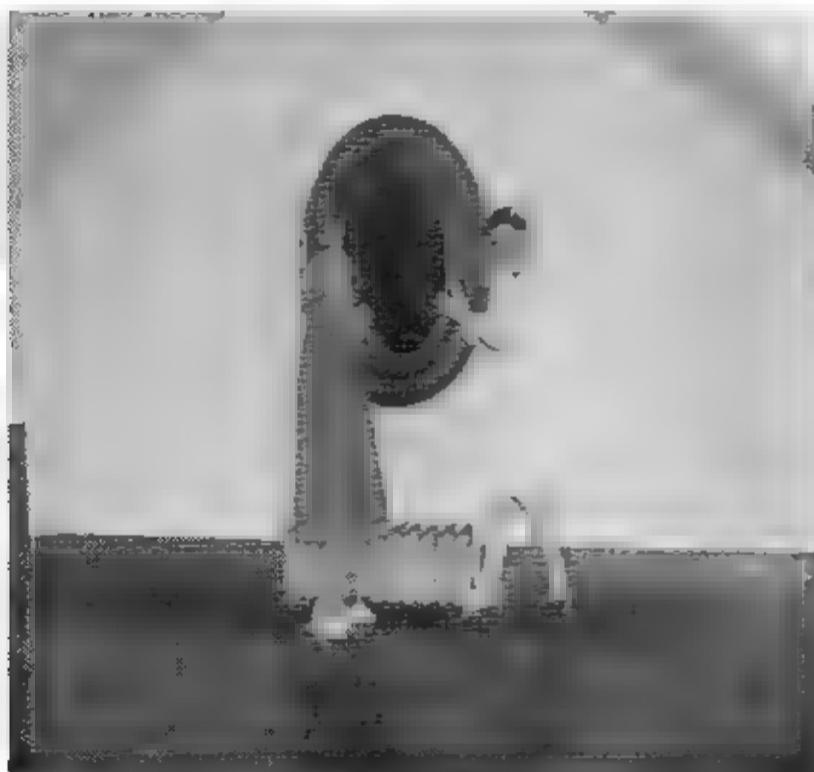


Junior Varsity



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And then . . . and then . . . and then



Sounds like they're at it again'



I've got to tell Mom about this one



Cheerleaders

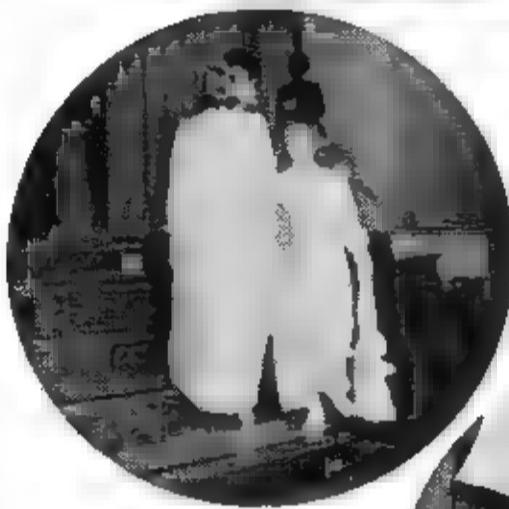


Left-right: J. Michaels, C. Slease, N. Herron, C. Heape, S. Mars, C. Haberstick

Class Leaders



Seated: P. Stubbs, D. Massey, C. Haskell F. Hoffman, N. Finkel C. Cohen Standing: S. MacMichael, J. Horner, N. Clever, S. Kister, S. Montgomery, A. Witting, M. Musico, I. Jones

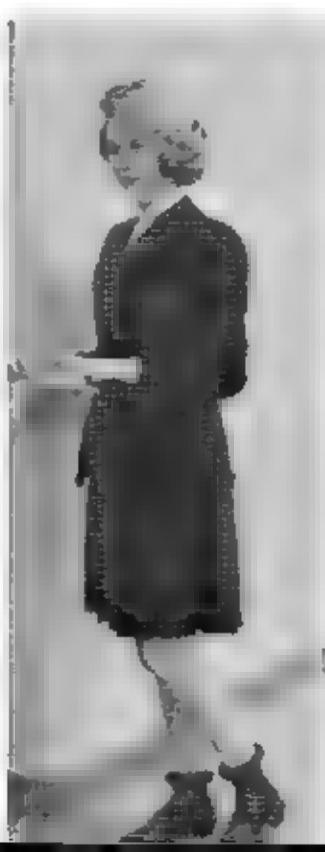




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Grade



Left-right: B. McDowell, A. Santelle, I. Landon, D. Lloyd, J. Musgrave, D. Gerrick, F. Gluck, B. Fisher, M. Wilner, L. Pearson, C. Kister, J. Apt.



Left-right: P. Klingensmith, K. Liedtke, M. Price, G. Weber, E. Heard, D. Shaw, M. Haller, J. Metcalfe, M. Hoffman, A. Contis, B. Zimmerman, T. McCandless, B. Davies.



Left-right, First row: S. Reed, H. Tyson, C. Hodgson, E. Dwyer, I. Heller, K. Peluse, C. Gillespie, G. McCormick, J. Burroughs, K. Tall, L. Carlson, E. Merry. Absent: I. McLaren, L. Nixon. Right picture, Front row: E. Nickens, S. Simon, N. Lichtenstul, P. Braine, V. Morton, R. E. Sherman, A. Elliott. Back row: N. Thompson, E. Shepler, C. Hudson, P. Trent, M. Armstrong, L. Wechsler, M. Orr



*Sixth
Grade*



Fifth Grade

Left picture, L-r: J. Shorall, A. Murphy, B. Tall, K. Henninger, M. Weisser, L. King, C. Ornitz, D. Wheeler, S. Schwartz



Fourth Grade

Above L-r: C. Walkowska, J. Bankson, C. Santella, J. Ornitz, M. Mermelstein, R. Shaw, H. Weissman.



Right picture Front row L-r: E. Carlson, L. Dodds, C. Slaughter, R. Rochez. Back row: M. McDowell, J. Walton, A. Deaktor, M. Pivitotta, J. Cordic, J. Silvestri

Third Grade



First row (l. to r.): E. Agnew, B. Lichtenstul, M. Concannon, A. Snyder, M. Alpert, N. Roeder. Second row (l. to r.): H. Christman, J. Martin, C. Soffel, L. Henninger, T. Roelandt. Last row (l. to r.): C. Blum, A. Christopoulos, E. Ferguson. Teacher, Miss Wagner.

Second Grade



Left to right: D. Gaffney, E. MacMichael, L. Locke, W. Hoechstetter, E. Landon, L. Cook, A. Hamby.



Back row (l. to r.): D. Mrvos, E. Martin, J. Reis, Mrs. Moore. Front row: K. Warman, M. MacMillan, M. Adams.

First Grade



Front row (l. to r.): P. Packer, D. Thames, L. Linn, N. Barack, R. Hutchinson. Second row (l. to r.): M. Ferguson, M. Clay, H. Slaughter, S. Pivirotto, A. Goldhammer, Mrs. Thalimer. Absent: S. Barley, J. McAuley.



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Kindergarten



Front row (l. to r.): A. Kaufman, C. Robotti, R. Walters, S. MacMillan, T. Walker. Back row (l. to r.): R. Roth, L. Snyderman, J. Solomon, S. Rushford, M. Balent. Absent: S. Gallagher, S. Dunnire.



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The mem'ry of the past will stay,
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Now what's this about a student



It's my party and I'll cry if I want to



The morning after the night before

I should have Danced all night!





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Aren't you glad I told you about my Secret?



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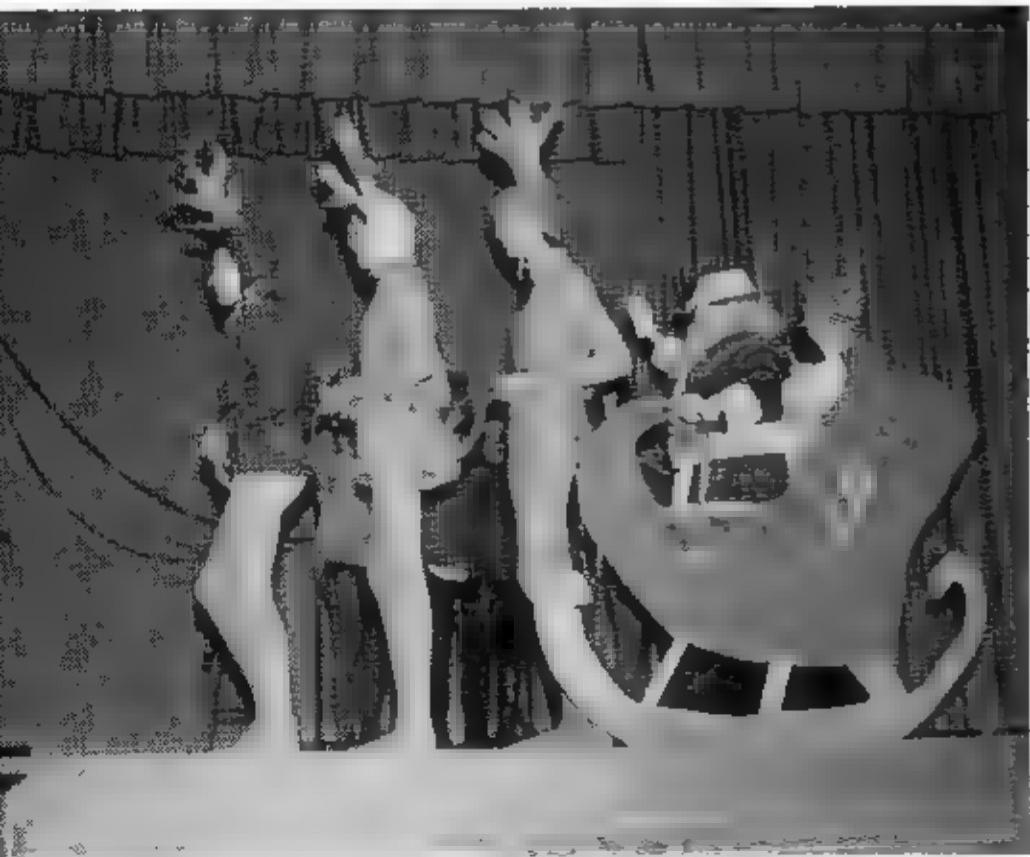


We'd rather fight than switch

Christmas



Is this the day you decide to do something?



Hertz puts you in the driver's seat.

Hi! It's a long way from the Northway Mall!



Party



about your weight?

Why, Mrs. Emerick, we didn't open any presents!





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Beatles! Where?





Fish gotta swim and .



How does it feel to drench
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*Ode to the
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I am a class—a half a hundred people.
Do you know that all these have come together to make me what I am?
I am the many beliefs in God, the many hopes and aspirations that each
has had.



I am as many ways of life as I am in number. (The root of man gives forth many seeds.) Each matures in her own environment, but at any moment she may become one in union with others.





I am a pace setter. Hiding a thousand private jokes, I
meet with serious mind the work I face. I laugh
with a child's laugh.

I am a Friday adult.





Sometimes I want to ignore what I must do. But what has become my conscience
usually directs me. I am thankful.

I will remember.





When each part of me has felt the friendships as deeply
as she is able, has lent these experiences together
to the development of herself, then
I will have served my selves.
I will be thankful.
I will remember.

I am the future of my present life.

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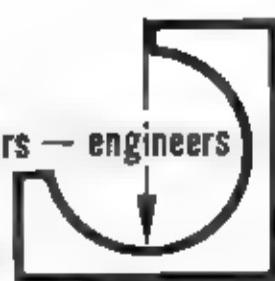
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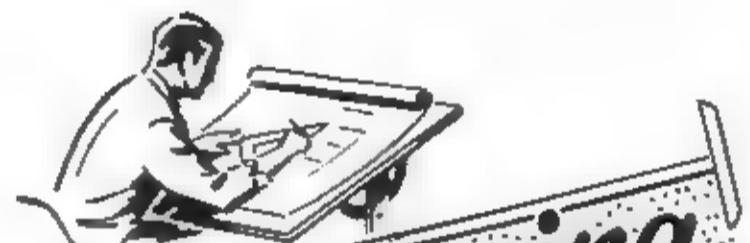
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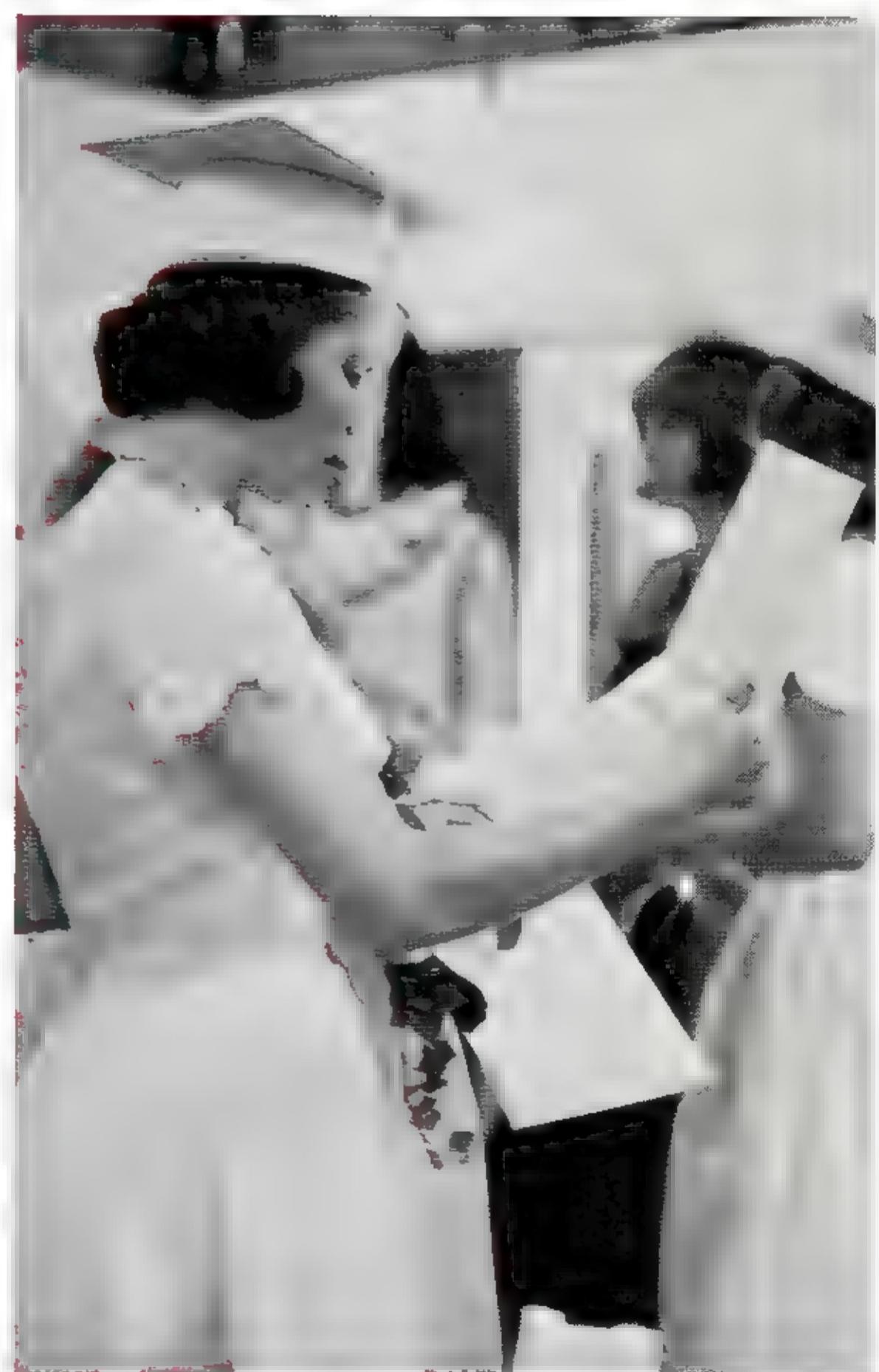
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None of your passionless kisses for me



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It's been the source of so much fun
We've grown accustomed to the way
We work and play each day
Mid-terms; bells call
The study halls
We've made so many different friends
And learned so many different skills
We're very grateful we have parents
Who can send us here to school
We have learned our A B C's
And know the Golden Rule
And although some of us were new
Before our years were through
We've grown accustomed to each face.

Words by,
The Geniuses



"Kickingly, Pantingly, Squallingly in
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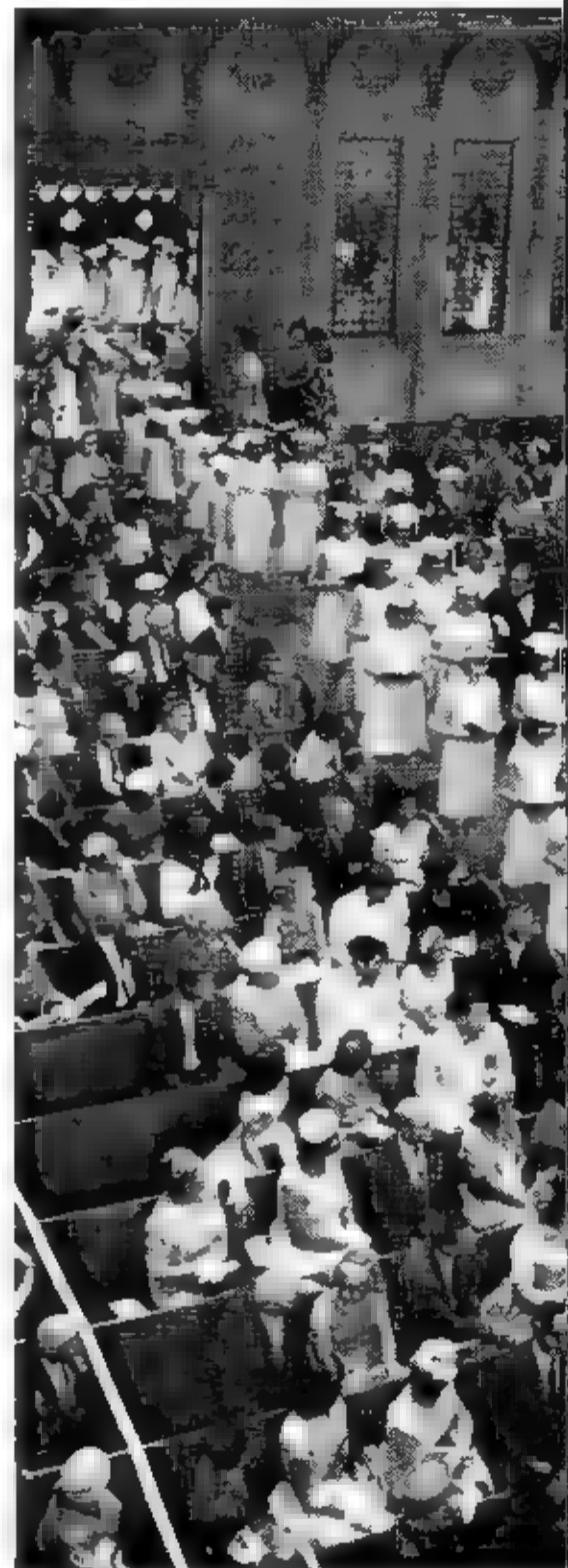
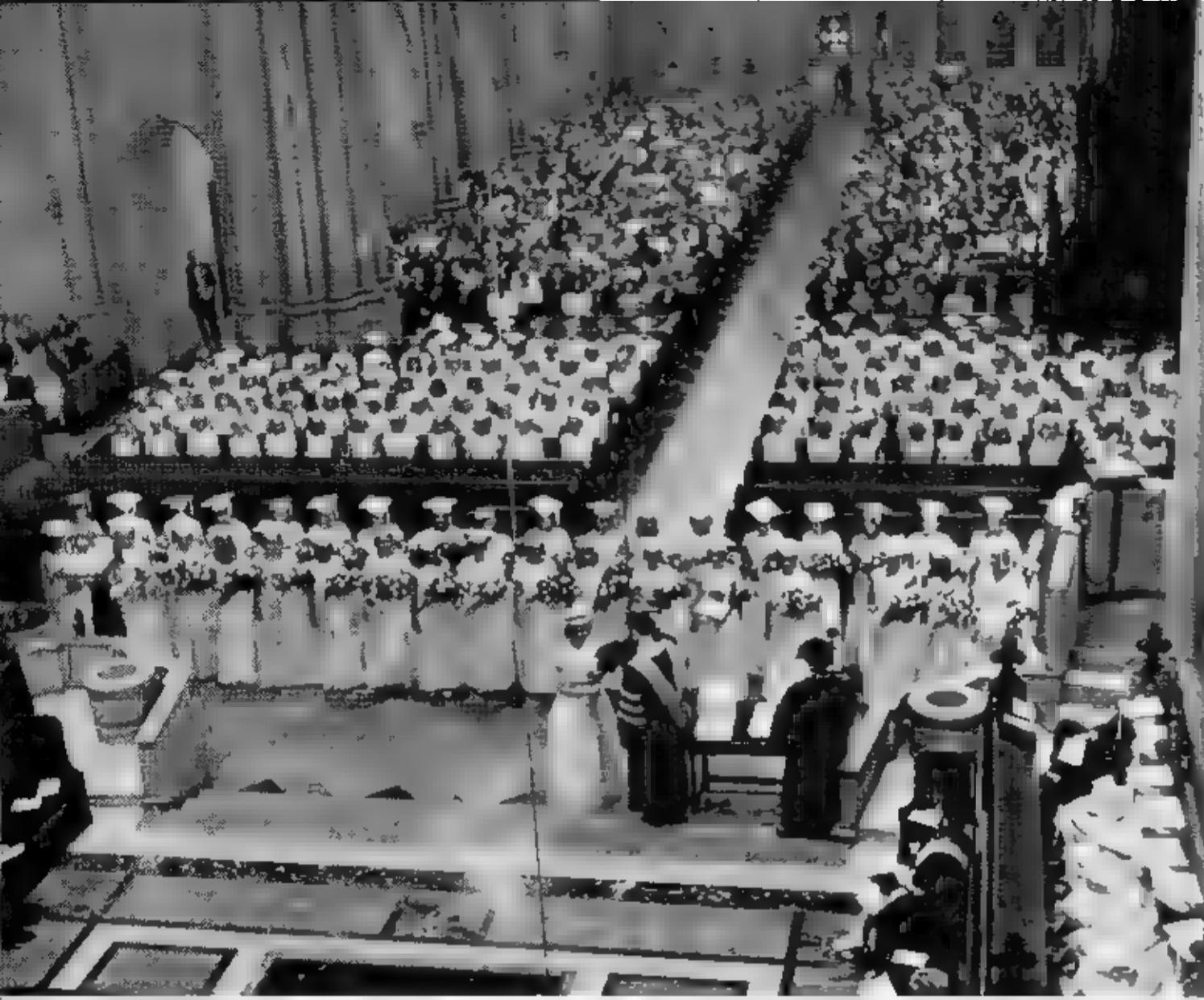
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| Andi Smith | Class Birdclaws |
| Candy Smith | Class Hacker |
| Lynda Stem | Class ΣK Sweetheart |
| Susie Stone | Class Philipides |
| Becky Sweet | Class Converted Beatle |
| Alice Thompson | Class Dissector |
| Emily Toerge | Class Sheriff |
| Linda Werlinich | Class Eyelash |
| Julie Willey | Class Fig Newton |
| Anne Witting | Class Worst Little Angel |

Mary Acklin
Jeannie Barton
Barbara Brandon
Cindy Cox
Virginia Crawford

Jenny Davies
Linda Deaktor
Dianne Diebold
Lennie Dixon
Susie Finkel

Frannie Jo Gitnick
Joyce Griffith
Carole Haskell
Madeleine Hayes
Nancy Hetrone

Nancy Hickox
Margot Hill
Jeannie Horner

Cherry Hughes
Sara James

Class Goldilocks
Class Mercury
Class Diplomat
Class 2-ton Talula
Best "crab socker" feet

Class Picasso
Class Spirit
(just) Class
Class Kildare
Class Perma-straight

Most Easily Snowed
Most Cuddly
Most likely to make her (goal)
Class itchy palm
Class Continental

Class Mailbox
Class Deb
Most likely to join the
Harlem Globetrotters

Class Bunny
Class Coke-fiend



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Senior Calendar

September

- 10—Seniors show underclassmen where to go.
- 11—First day of school in "new home."
- 12—Ban on Swaying—Assembly too sacred
- 21—Joyce falls out of tree.
—Senior pictures.

October

- 9-10—Julie and Marga disrupt school—School Pictures
- 11—First Senior Courtesy Day—Recognition!!
- 17—First hockey victory in years!! W.T. vs. Montour
- 28—W.T. hockey varsity scores against Ellis. (C.H.)

November

- 1—Hallowe'en Party—Rindcella—Cherry's a fairy
with a poolcess plunger—Senior Ant SWAY
- 4—First college acceptance—Jeannie Horner, Sullins
- 8—Fashion Show
- 13—Student-Faculty Volleyball Game—Senior SWAY
—Leg showing gets boot!
- 14—Faculty vs. Yale—Debatable scoring (?)
- 18-22—"What we like about W.T." Week
- 20—First yearbook deadline met early!
- 27—Marga FINALLY gets camera.
- 30—Thanksgiving Dance

December

- 5—Jrs. initiate slave day.
- 7—Writing Sample—Do American Parents Retard Their Children's Initiative?
- 10—Frannie holds up French program
- 11—Junior King Ceremony—Jrs. are Big Girls now!
- 13—Kiski Concert. Frannie uses Mistletoe as bait. Srs. ask blind dates to prom.
- 14—Dennis buys us ONE of our Christmas trees.
- 16—First Edition of the Portal—another Jr. project
- 18—We carol on the stairs.—pitch pipe broke—Senior SWAY
- 19—FINALLY Christmas Vacation
- 21—Jr.-Sr. Prom—You supplied the mugs, we'll!—Thanks juniors. Wendy's last resort party!
- 22—Joyce's slumber breakfast—Silin and Barton go to the zoo
- 31—A frantic New Year's Eve!!

January

- 1—New Year's Day—Seniors resolve to study early this year.—check this!
- 6—Back to school—Second yearbook deadline met in spite of snow.
- 11—M.M., D.L., F.G. take roller coaster ride down Kiski golf course.
- 13-14—Snow Vacation—Srs. study for exams (while watching Bullwinkle on T.V.)
- 15—Final plunge—everyone collapses from too much rest
- 20-24—Exam week "What we DON'T like about W.T." week
- 28—Sr. Civilian Day—Gayle EATS lunch—Becky goes to Africa to tame lions.

February

- 11 Vanguard Players—girls comb hair for history class
- 15—Achievement Test scores arrive—8th period panic
- 18—Dr. Freehoff speaks. Mrs. Hutson attacked.

March

- 2—Last yearbook deadline met staff dies—buried in basement room by bubble gum wrappers
- 6—Winchester ruins Ellis Victory Ball W.T. spirit soars. (17-14)
- 9—Wendy gets the measles.
- 12—Merit Holiday—Spring Vacation (with a sigh of relief)

April

- 2—Frannie and Mary start term papers.
- 3—Term papers due. Follies tryouts.
- 4—Only Susie Mont would get the measles in Bermuda
- 10—Father-Daughter Dinner—Senior SWAY
- 16—"Things go better with Coke" Day
- 17—PAPSTA Thank heavens!—Half Day
- 22—D-Day—Linda gets into college
- 24—Mercesburg Concert—W.T. competes with a ball game
- 25—Gayle and Karen's luncheon
- 30—May Day—We ARE seniors!!—Elections

May

- 2 College boards—Seniors exuberant in the absence
- 6—"The Silence"—the clandestine caravan goes to the movies—culture seeking?
- 7—Sr. Graduation Invitations Arrive—Realization
- 8—Mrs. Calvert absent—now Mary can do her history in class legally
- 11—Class elections we no longer lead
- 12—Madame's nephew speaks.
- 22—Jr. Initiation—only the Srs. know for sure
- 29—Doom's Day—Sr. first, last, and ONLY success—yearbooks arrive in the scramble of costumes, make-up and nerves. Mass exodus to Mrs. Beebe's closet.

June

- 1-2—Exam week—Seniors smirk while students work
- 5—Alumnae Tea—Too much too soon
- 6—"Class of '52" Luncheon—Srs. get yearbooks
- 8—Linda's Sigh of Relief Party
- 9—Class Day—Graduation—We Did It!! Prom—fun; Clipper—more fun; Breakfast—weary; Picnic—relaxing.

"AND MILES TO GO BEFORE WE SLEEP"

The staff wishes to express its sincere gratitude to Mrs. Virginia Beebe for her wise advice and thoughtful guidance in our planning

the THISTLEDOWN 1964



Mary Acklin—*Northwestern University*
Jean Barton—*Miami University*
Barbara Brandon—*Allegheny College*
Cynthia Cox—*Bucknell University*
Virginia Crawford—*Vassar College*
Jennifer Davies—*Rhode Island School of Design*
Linda Deaktor—*Brandeis University*
Dianne Diebold—*Vassar College*
Lenore Dixon—*Ohio Wesleyan University*
Susan Finkel—*Wheaton College*
Francine Gitnick—*Wheelock College*
Joyce Griffith—*Boston University*
Carole Haskell—*Lesley College*
Madeleine Hays—*Goucher College*
Nancy Herron—*Western College for Women*
Nancy Hickox—*Sweetbriar College*
Margot Hill—*Centenary Junior College*
Jeanne Horner—*Sullins Junior College*
Lisa Hughes—*Centenary Junior College*
Sara James—*Smith College*
Irene Jones—*University of Rochester*
Sally Kuntz—*Point Park Junior College*
Diane Lichy—*Marjorie Webster Junior College*
Carole Martin—*University of Wisconsin*

Marga Matheny—*Pembroke College*
Karen McCormick—*Mount Union College*
Georgia McKee—*Chatham College*
Jane Michaels—*Wellesley College*
Barbara Miller—*University of Pittsburgh*
Susanne Monteith—*Beaver College*
Susan Montgomery—*University of Wisconsin*
Virginia Perkins—*Syracuse University*
Sara Provost—*C. W. Post College*
Christine Raisig—*Nasson College*
Judy Ruben—*Western College for Women*
Gayle Shaw—*Lindenwood College*
Wendy Silin—*University of New Mexico*
Andrea Smith—*Roanoke College*
Candace Smith—*Queens College*
Lynda Stern—*Skidmore College*
Susanne Stone—*Champlain College*
Becky Sweet—*William and Mary College*
Alice Thompson—*Western College for Women*
Emily Toerge—*University of Pittsburgh*
Linda Werlinich—*University of Pittsburgh*
Julie Willey—*Southern Methodist University*
Anne Witting—*Vassar College*

Farewell

In a sense, the year 1963-1964 was a year of adjustment; the student body had to experience the three seasons in school, had to see what traditions were kept, discarded or innovated in the new building before feeling fully established in it. And in a sense our class was a bit of a misfit because our stay was so temporary. Yet the very newness of the situation, the very small duration of our "visit" made the personality of the class become more definite and more permanent. We were a happy class, unimpressed with sophistication, yet for that reason possessing some of our own. We were a sensitive class, quickly changing from one mood to another. Our friendships were many, and our loyalties fast and enduring. Our talent and intelligence, while rarely brilliant, were obvious and quietly ever present. Our interest in learning and life was always ready to be aroused. We are a class eager for the future, always smiling about the past while reveling in the present.

Winchester has helped give us the incentive to discover our capabilities, and has provided the materials with which to use them in an atmosphere conducive to growth of both the intellect and personality. She is a place of growth, where one may be young and frivolous as well as steady and diligent. All of our experiences, the class, the exams, the Senior days and the follies combined to form a past so easy to smile about in the future.

D.C.D.

PEA!
I know you're
going to be H.C.
I expect student
Council this year
has got some texture
ought to be really cool
and I hope you have
a wonderful summer
in your day time
and night. Ha

